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Ms. Lynn Bochenek
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RE: FOIL Request #235-24

Dear Ms. Bochenek:

This letter comes in response to your FOIL Requests of May 22 and 24, 2024. The records that you request are exempt from disclosure because they consist of: 1) inter-agency or intra-agency materials which are not: i) statistical or factual tabulations or data; ii) instructions to staff that affect the public; iii) final agency policy or determinations; or iv) external audits, including but not limited to audits performed by the comptroller and the federal government; 2) grand jury materials that are exempt from disclosure pursuant to Criminal Procedure Law §190.25(4) and Public Officer's Law section 87(2)(a); 3) would identify the victim of a specified offense and are exempt from disclosure pursuant to Civil Rights Law §50-b and Public Officer's Law section 87(2)(a); and/or 4) would constitute an unwarranted invasion of personal privacy. Your request is therefore denied.

Very truly yours,

Leigh A. Braun 
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Confidential Secretary/Records Access Officer

YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO APPEAL THIS DECISION, SHOULD YOU DESIRE, DIRECTLY TO THE CHAIRMAN OF THE NIAGARA COUNTY LEGISLATURE, NIAGARA COUNTY COURTHOUSE, 175 HAWLEY STREET, LOCKPORT, NEW YORK 14094. SUCH AN APPEAL MUST BE IN WRITING, YOU MUST INCLUDE A COPY OF BOTH YOUR FOIL REQUEST AND THIS DEPARTMENT'S REPLY. YOU MUST SERVE THE APPEAL NOTICE WITHIN THIRTY (30) DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS REPLY.

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